



93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/33-6 new

Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Provides that a municipal police department or a county sheriff may not hire a person for employment in the municipal police department or county sheriff's office in any capacity if that person had been a full-time, permanent, or part-time police officer in this State or any other jurisdiction and has been decertified as a police officer by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board or has been decertified as a police officer under a similar law of another jurisdiction. Provides that a county sheriff or municipal police chief or other police officer in charge of hiring police officers who violates this provision is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

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CORRECTIONAL
BUDGET AND
IMPACT NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding
5 Section 33-6 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/33-6 new)

7 Sec. 33-6. Hiring decertified police officer prohibited.

8 (a) In this Section, "part-time police officer",
9 "full-time police officer", and "permanent police officer"
10 have the meanings ascribed to them in Section 2 of the Illinois
11 Police Training Act.

12 (b) A municipal police department or a county sheriff may
13 not hire a person for employment in the municipal police
14 department or county sheriff's office in any capacity if that
15 person had been a full-time, permanent, or part-time police
16 officer in this State or any other jurisdiction and has been
17 decertified as a police officer by the Illinois Law Enforcement
18 Training Standards Board under Section 6.1 of the Illinois
19 Police Training Act or has been decertified as a police officer
20 under a similar law of another jurisdiction.

21 (c) Sentence. A violation of this Section by a county
22 sheriff or municipal police chief or other police officer in
23 charge of hiring police officers is a Class A misdemeanor.